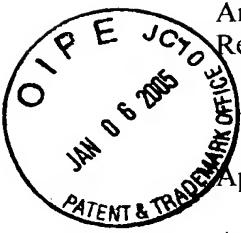


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### **Amendment**

Sir:

In response to the office action of July 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendment of the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendment to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claim 2 and 3 which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the drawings** begin on page 6 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 7 of this paper.